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SUBJECT: TRAVEL REGULATIONS FOR KAGNEW STATION PERSONNEL

1. KAGNEW STATION CONTRACT CIVILIANS HAVE ENCOUNTERED PROBLEMS ENTERING DEPARTING ETHIOPIA THRU ADDIS ABABA WITH REGULAR PASSPORTS AND KAGNEW STATION TRAVEL ORDERS.

2. ARTICLE FOURTEEN PARA TWO OF THE DEFENSE INSTALLATIONS AGREEMENT OF MAY 22, 1953 BETWEEN THE U.S. AND ETHIOPIAN GOVERNMENTS READ QUOTE PASSPORT AND VISA REQUIREMENTS SHALL NOT BE APPLICABLE TO MILITARY MEMBERS OF THE U.S. FORCES, BUT ALL MEMBERS OF THE U.S. FORCES SHALL BE FURNISHED WITH APPROPRIATE IDENTIFICATION WHICH SHALL BE PRODUCED, UPON DEMAND, TO THE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES OF THE IMPERIAL ETHIOPIAN GOVERNMENT. UNQUOTE.

3. WHILE ETHIOPIAN IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES IN ASMARA HAVE APPLIED THE ABOVE PARA TO CONTRACT CIVILIANS, THE AUTHORITIES IN ADDIS ABABA ARE UNWILLING TO DO SO. IN ORDER TO AVOID FUTURE PROBLEMS WE ARE INSTRUCTING KAGNEW STATION CONTRACT CIVILIANS TRAVELING ON REGULAR PASSPORTS THRU ADDIS ABABA TO REQUEST EXIT AND RE-ENTRY VISAS FROM THE SECURITY AND IMMIGRATION OFFICE IN ASMARA.

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